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Environmental Protection Agency  
Region 3 Offices  
1650 Arch Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19103-2029

Re: Freedom of Information Act Request

Dear EPA Region III:

In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), please provide:

1. Training materials

Any public records regarding any presentation, manual, study, report, training materials, educational materials, correspondence or other documents relating to seminars, courses, or training provided by, sponsored by, funded by, authored by, or offered in whole or in part by EPA to any state or local agency, Board, Commission, department, trade group, or trade organization of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania that relate to any of the issues identified below:

- a) the presence, distribution, and concentrations of methyl tert-butyl ether ("MTBE") in surface water, groundwater, and/or drinking water;
- b) the characteristics of MTBE in the environment including hazards, risks, behavior, fate, transport, or remediation of MTBE impact in groundwater;
- c) reducing or phasing out the use of MTBE and alternatives to the use of MTBE in gasoline;
- d) installation and maintenance of underground storage tank ("UST") systems;
- e) detections of leaks of gasoline from UST systems;
- f) inspection of UST systems and enforcement of UST system regulations and spill prevention programs;
- g) investigating and remediating releases of gasoline from UST systems, including leak response, remediation and Monitored Natural Attenuation; and
- h) public outreach related to the proper handling and disposal of gasoline.

2. State Implementation Plan

Any public records regarding the regulation of air quality in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania including correspondence to or from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and/or any submission by the Commonwealth (including but not limited to any agency, Board, or Commission of the Commonwealth) relating to adoption and/or implementation of its State Implementation Plan (SIP) to control emissions of CO, NOX, Ozone, Ozone Precursors, or hazardous air pollutants from mobile sources and any reports, studies, air quality data, air quality modeling analysis, presentations, comments, economic analysis, cost benefit analysis, or any other document regarding the use of Reformulated Gasoline (RFG), low Reid Vapor Pressure (RVP) gasoline, MTBE gasoline, or gasoline with ethanol to meet SIP standards in Pennsylvania.

3. UST program

Any public records regarding the regulation of Underground Tank Systems (USTs) in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania including correspondence to or from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and/or any submission by the Commonwealth (including but not limited to any agency, Board or Commission of the Commonwealth) relating to its program to regulate USTs or Leaking Underground Storage Tanks (LUSTs) including but not limited to the number of registered tanks used for gasoline storage, the location of USTs and LUSTs, the identity of UST owners, the date of UST releases, the status of leak detection programs, dealer training, the status of cleanup and response efforts, the number of release sites "closed," program funding and grants by EPA to Pennsylvania for any such programs, the cost of remediation of gasoline releases in Pennsylvania, tank system inspection programs, and enforcement actions against tank owners for non-compliance.

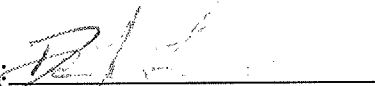
4. MTBE in groundwater and/or drinking water

Any public records regarding the presence or impact of MTBE in groundwater or drinking water in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania including correspondence to or from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or any submission by the Commonwealth (including but not limited to any agency, Board, or Commission of the Commonwealth) regarding the detection of MTBE in groundwater, surface water, drinking water supplies, and/or public or private drinking water wells, including but not limited to any reports, studies, monitoring data, citizen complaints,

ATSDR consultation or assessment reports, Source Water Protection Program (SWAP) analysis, Well Head Protection Area Analysis (WHPA), or other correspondence or statements regarding the detection of MTBE in waters of the Commonwealth.

Very truly yours,

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